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So here we are on the doorstep of a new year. The curtain is about to go up on another set of a tragedy the outcome of which the authors themselves are as ignorant as are those who gaze from the darkness of the galleries on to the stage that is lit by the countless patterns of searchlights and the weird glow of burning shells. What shall we plan for such a year, or shall we plan anything at all? That seems to be the query circulating in the minds of the people and passing from mouth to mouth. And my answer to it is that "what the use" attitude now on the part of progressive people would be playing directly into the hands of reaction. There is an

old proverb which says something about the possibility of standing still in a flowing stream, but not in the world of mankind. It is true. There is no greater enemy of any in-world movement than a tired progressive who seizes upon a state like the present as an excuse for his indifference of his lethargy. - People's Weekly.

No - this is a time as never before for a firm resolute march onward. Brave hearts, strong courage and clear thinking are the requisite qualities of every one who could carry on the battle of life in whatever sphere. In this chaotic world out of which we must build a world where "Will of Christ" will become universal.

CANADA'S FIRST WAR LOAN -

Ontario's announcement that operations are under way for Canada's first war loan, now scheduled to make its appearance during the first quarter of 1940, is good news inasmuch as it will provide the rank and file of Canadians with an opportunity to make their first direct contribution to Canada's war effort. The backbone of Canada's participation in this war will be financial because of the vast amount of foodstuffs, materials and military supplies that will be required from this country. True, much of these materials will be paid for by the Allies, but some of the British purchases in this country will have to be financed by Canada, and Canada's own program will be extensive. It seems probable that at least 40 per cent of the national income will be required in the next year to meet the cost of war and the other expenditures of all governments in Canada and to finance British purchases here. Canada has come a long way since the last war in developing a fiscal system of equality in citizenship and its attendant responsibilities. As announced in the first war budget, this war, in as far as Canada is concerned, will be financed as far as practicable on a "pay as you go" basis, and paid for by all on the general basis of ability to pay. It would be impossible to tax for the entire cost of financing the program into action without tending to hamper initiative, lessen efficiency and retard the expansion of production and national income. Tax revenues, therefore, must be supplemented through borrowing by means of domestic bond flotations.

It may, too, be taken for granted that there will be no "tax free" bonds in this war, that will gravitate to a few holders and enable them to minimize their income taxes. Nor will there be any duplication of the abnormal profits from war materials witnessed during the last war. The safeguard against this is the Excess Profits Tax, enacted at the special war

session of the Canadian Parliament.

It is anticipated that the forthcoming war loan will have bonds as low as \$50.00 denomination, and it is the hope of the Minister of Finance, Hon. J. L. Ralston, K. C., that every Canadian will become a creditor to the Canadian Government through his or her ownership of a Government bond. A credit relationship of every citizen with his government is a sure sign of good government and of good citizenship. Conditions in Canada offer propitious circumstances for the loan when it comes. War orders and the large Western wheat crop are beginning to have their effect in expanding business activity. Employment is increasing, and the physical volume of business, as measured by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics index, is approaching an all time peak. With the increased activity generally in the business world and promise of its continuance, the first war loan can be expected to meet a ready reception.

NATIONAL WAR DRIVE

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THE NEED IS URGENT - JOE IN ARC CUE

MRS. G. H. PATRICK, President

MISS MARY RELLINGER, Secretary

1940

Sweet Young Thing (a Parlor): "Mamma! Mamma! Come here and make Daddie stop looking!"
Mamma: (from stair-way landing): "What he doing dear?"
S. V. T.: "He's sitting on the other end of the davenport!"

VALLEY GARDENS

The pupils of Valley Gardens School gave their Christmas Concert on Wednesday evening. There was a large gathering of parents and friends in spite of threatening weather. The programme consisted of two plays, musical selections and songs. After the Concert Santa Claus made his appearance and distributed presents and bags of candy and nuts to the expectant youngsters. Saper over, a game of bingo and dancing kept the party going merrily until the wee sma' hours.

A small but appreciative congregation attended the special Christmas service at Nightingale Sunday December 22nd when Mr Lang preached a farewell sermon. The good wishes of the community go with Mr and Mrs Lang in their new sphere of work.

Se-ral families in our district will be spending a very happy holiday with their sons and daughters from school, and much merriment has been brewed while the party's great success. After a delicious supper the young people left for home, carrying with them memories of a very happy evening.

Are our hockey players happy? Well, say they are! Skates are out and hockey suits are out too, smiling strongly of outbaths and chores will soon be done in double quick time.

The Misses Rosie and Betty Mac-Simonair entertained a number of their friends at a party on Thursday, games and music were the order of the evening and those who were present voted the party a great success. After a delicious supper the young people left for home, carrying with them memories of a very happy evening.

Miss Barbara Jones is a guest of Miss Kathleen Harriman.

We are sorry to report the presence in our midst of undesirable visitor, the flu germ. The latest victims are Mr and Mrs Frank Harriman and Milly. We hope they will soon be well again and that Milly who is at home for the holidays will recover in time to join in the festivities before returning to Cadoun here she is attending high school.

Mr George Carlson was a visitor to Calgary this week. George and John Carlson are spending their holidays in Calgary and hope to get in lots of skating while there.

Mr and Mrs John Cameron are guests of Mr and Mrs Claude Juker.

Dalemead
Mr and Mrs Hunter from Cheltenham, opening the holidays at the homes of their daughters Mr and Mrs Dixon and Mr and Mrs Holmes.
The Parents given at the Dalemead Hall on December 17th was well attended. It was splendidly conducted under the leadership of Mr Dixon.
Mr Price motored to Missouri to spend the winter with relatives.
Neil McKinnon had the misfortune to break his arm resulting from a fall.

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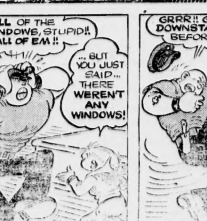
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Under The Street Lamp

Punch: A good way to make a postage stamp stick, we read, is to breathe on it instead of licking it.
An even better way, perhaps, is to put the wrong address on the envelope.

"I ended his life by taking poison in the cellar of his home at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. He refused to accept an anesthetic and died before medical assistance could be called."
That hardly seems the time for jokes

A business man once thought that his staff was lazy, and wrote the following note to his juniors: "Bread is the staff of life, but that is no reason why the life of our staff should be one continual loaf."

Bobby Hamby had been feeling unwell for a considerable time, and stated Doctor John for an X-ray, which showed the fact that his interior was terribly rusted. He told the doctor that he had been drinking from beer for fifteen years and never touched oil.

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